

Dear FCC,
I am an engineer and I travel extensively on business. I would like to respond to your proposal to allow the use of cell phones on airplanes (WT Docket No. 04-435).

I think it is a bad idea. Besides the issue of cell phone signals potentially interfering with navigation equipments in the aircraft, there is another serious issue.

Sitting next to someone who chatters continuously on a cell phone is not only irritating but dangerous. It will lead to air rage. Imagine a brawl in the aircraft cabin 30 thousand feet in the air with no way to control them. Unlike the Israeli airlines that has an armed air marshal on every flight, the flight attendants on U.S. carriers are not trained or equipped to perform law enforcement duties. I oppose allowing the cell phone use on aircrafts. Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

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